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Law enforcement memorial service held last Friday in Elba

by Linda Hodge, Editor

Law enforcement from around Coffee County gathered outside the Coffee County Courthouse in Elba last Friday, May 18, at noon to honor those lost in the line of duty during the annual Law Enforcement Memorial Service.

Leon Adams, chaplain for the Coffee County Sheriff's Office, welcomed everyone to the memorial

service honoring fallen officers and their families.

Through the years, four law enforcement officers have died in the line of duty in Coffee County. They are: Officer Alex Hurst, New Brockton Police Department – end of watch was Monday, April 1, 1957 due to gunfire; Assistant Chief of Police Charles Herman Driggers, Elba Police Department – end of watch was Wednesday,

Sept. 2, 1964 due to gunfire; Sheriff C.F. "Neil" Grantham, Coffee County Sheriff's Department – end of watch was Thursday, March 1, 1979 due to gunfire; and Officer Gregory B. Gay, Elba Police Department – end of watch was Monday, July 31, 1995 due to an automobile accident.

Sheriff Dave Sutton, along with chiefs of police Freddy Hanchey, Jimmy

Duke, and Russell Young, placed a black memorial wreath with four white roses in honor of Coffee County's fallen heroes during the ceremony near the flagpole at the courthouse. The department leaders then stood watch by the memorial wreath for the remainder of the program.

The keynote speaker for the event was Mark Wakefield, Missionary for Disaster Relief and Chaplaincy, Alabama Baptist State Board of Missions, and he spoke Friday about remembering things appropriate to the day.

"The men and women that put on a badge each day are crucial to our freedom," Wakefield said. "The back of your program today contains the names of four men from Coffee County that it cost a great



The keynote speaker for the Coffee County Law Enforcement Memorial Service held last Friday in Elba was Mark Wakefield, missionary for disaster relief and chaplaincy, Alabama Baptist State Board of Missions. Shown to his left is the memorial wreath with four white roses placed in it representing fallen officers from Coffee County, who were killed in the line of duty.

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Law enforcement from across Coffee County - city, county and state - stand together during the annual Law Enforcement Memorial Service held last Friday, May 18, on the lawn of the Coffee County Courthouse in Elba. The service began at 12 noon.

With a 5-2 majority vote

Coffee County BOE members vote to offer superintendent job to Kevin Killingsworth

by Linda Hodge, Editor

The Coffee County Board of Education met last Thursday, May 10, at noon with the intent purpose of nominating a candidate to be the next superintendent of the Coffee County School System.

Shortly after opening the meeting, board members voted to enter into an executive session for what was described to be a discussion of good name and character. Board attorney Dale Marsh indicated that to be a valid reason to enter the session, and all board members voted in favor of it.

Fourteen minutes later, the board returned to open session.

Chairman Brian McLeod said the board had concluded earlier in the week two days of interviews of five impressive candidates that made the decision of board members a difficult one.

"Despite the lively debate and difference of opinion in the selection process, I think I can speak for the entire board when I say we will work hard to



Kevin Killingsworth

help our next superintendent be successful," McLeod said.

He said the board was ready to narrow the field down to one nominee for superintendent.

Board member Larry Eddins made a motion to nominate Kevin Killingsworth with the intent to hire him as superintendent of Coffee County Schools pending contract negotiations and approval of a contract setting out the terms and conditions of his employments. Eddins'

motion received a second from board member Eric Payne.

Five board members voted in favor of hiring Killingsworth for the job. The 'yes' votes came from board members Eddins, Payne, Rubin McKinnon, Galen McWaters, and Mike Bailey.

Not voting for the motion to nominate Killingsworth were board members McLeod and Wendy Massey.

"With five votes in favor of Mr. Killingsworth, that is a majority so this motion passes," McLeod said.

Killingsworth is a long time employee of the Coffee County School System currently serving as the system's transportation coordinator, as well as coordinator of buildings, grounds and maintenance and career tech education/special programs, according to the school system's website. He also has previous principal experience with the school sys-

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Coffee County E-911 receives clean audit for Fiscal Years 2016 and 2017

The Coffee County Emergency Communications Board (E-911) recently underwent an audit by examiners from the Alabama Board of Examiners for financial management and 911 procedures.

This was a regularly scheduled audit - not precipitated by any acts on the part of the board, according to officials. State law requires a biennial audit of all 87 emergency communications boards in Alabama.

The audit was for all of Fiscal Years 2016 and 2017. The results were recently briefed to the board.

The Coffee County E-911 board is a stand-alone entity and is not under the supervision of the Coffee County Commission or any

of the municipalities of the county.

The exit briefing indicated no adverse findings in either financial management or 911 procedures as dictated by state law. The entire board was cited for excellence.

In addition, Gloria Webb was cited for exemplary bookkeeping of financial matters.

Both Colonel (Retired) Charles Webb and Mrs. Webb are the founders of the 911 system for all areas of the county and all cities and towns in the county with the exception of Enterprise, which has a separate system. Col. and Mrs. Webb have been board members without a break since 1996; Col. Webb has served as board chairman since the system was formed. They work as

volunteers, as do all the board members.

Marvin McIlwain has been employed as the coordinator of the County 911 system since February

2004, and he is responsible for addressing and mapping as well as other duties. He also serves as the board's

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Elba City Schools this week announced its participation in the Summer Food Service Program.

Meals will be provided to all children without charge and are the same for all children regardless of race, color, national origin, sex, age or disability, and there will be no discrimination in the course of the meal service. Meals will be provided, at a first come, first serve basis, at the sites and times as follows:

Breakfast
7:45-8:15 at Elba Elementary School, 145 Tiger Drive, Elba, AL 36323

7:45-8:15 at Elba High School, 371 Tiger Drive, Elba, AL 36323

Lunch
10:45-12:00 at Elba

Holiday Notice:

The Elba Clipper office will be closed Monday, May 28, in observance of the Memorial Day holiday.

All news and advertising for the Thursday, May 31st edition of the newspaper will be due before noon on Tuesday, May 29th.

The Elba Clipper honors all who made the ultimate sacrifice while serving in the U.S. Military!

Elementary School, 145 Tiger Drive, Elba, AL 36323

10:45-12:00 at Elba High School, 371 Tiger Drive, Elba, AL 36323

Elba Elementary School will provide meals June 4, 2018 - June 28, 2018, and Elba High School will provide meals June 4, 2018- July 26, 2018. Meals will not be provided the week of July 4, 2018.

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Public Notices
"For your right to know"

There are several varying Public Notices published this week in The Elba Clipper. These 'public notices' can be found on Pages 6 of today's paper.

The City of Elba is advertising plans to declare surplus and sell the old Superintendent's office on Collier Street, last used by Head Start.

The Elba Airport Authority is taking bids on the construction of additional T-hangers at the airport.



Shaw Martin Cowen, age 5, was excited to attend the Kinston Football Spring game last Friday, May 18, at the Bulldogs took on the Opp Bobcats. Shaw Martin will be a kindergarten student for the 2018-2019 school year at Kinston. He is the son of Clint and Sarah Cowen.

Area Happenings

THE CITY OF ELBA OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED in observance of Memorial Day on Monday, May 28th. For any after-hours problems with electricity, sewer, water, street, or animal control, contact the Elba Police Department at (334) 897-2555.

THE ELBA CITY COUNCIL MEETING ORIGINALLY SCHEDULED FOR MAY 28TH will be held Tuesday, May 29, at 5:30 p.m. The Water & Electric Board Meeting will follow immediately after the council meeting.

A RABIES CLINIC will be held Saturday, June 9, at Elba's Legion Field, located on Neil Grantham Drive. The clinic will be from 10 a.m. until 12 noon. Cost is \$12 per animal.



THE MAY 16 MEETING OF THE REPUBLICAN WOMEN OF COFFEE COUNTY was the last one before the June 5th Primary election, and the organization had another group of candidates on hand to speak. Pictured above, left to right: John Taylor and Tracie West, candidates for Congressional District 2 School Board member; Troy King, candidate for Attorney General; RWCC President Shawn Young; Michael Johnson, candidate for Alabama Secretary of State; RWCC Corresponding Secretary Johnna Roberts; and Melanie Hill, also a candidate for Congressional District 2 School Board member. RWCC meetings are held the third Wednesday of the month at the Enterprise Country Club. Social time begins at 11 am; optional buffet at 11:30; and the program at approximately noon. For more information or reservations, call Jan at 494-3763 or email: rwccreservations@gmail.com.

Coffee County Farmers Federation scholarships available for application through June 15, 2018

The Coffee County Farmers Federation/Alfa Farmers is making up to two \$1,000 per year scholarships available to select- ed graduating high school seniors from schools in Coffee County or living in Coffee County and gradu- ating from schools in another county, as well as those who are presently enrolled or those planning to enroll in Auburn University, Alabama A&M BS Tuskegee majoring in curriculum in the college of agriculture, school of forestry, agriculture educa- tion, fisheries, horticulture or pre-veterinary medicine. The deadline for the

application is June 15, 2018 and can be picked up at the Alfa offices in Coffee

County. For further infor- mation contact Shirley York at 334-313-8999.

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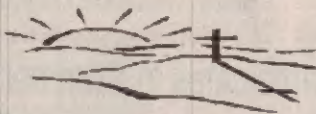
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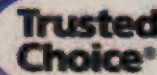
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Obituaries

Death notices updated regularly on our website at www.elba-clipper.com

ELLA W. CLARK

Mrs. Ella W. Clark, age 82, of Brundidge, Ala., died Wednesday, May 16, 2018, at Troy Regional Medical Center.

Funeral services were held Sunday, May 20, 2018, at Dorcas Baptist Church with Rev. Dale Morgan officiating. Burial followed in the New Hope Cemetery with Dillard Funeral Home in Brundidge directing.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Charlie & Connie Brooks, sister, Gloria Hyatt, and her husband, Hurmice V. Clark.

Survivors include her children: Ronald Franklin Clark, Ramona Annette Clark, both of Brundidge, and William Thomas Clark, Lakeland, Fla.; one grandchild: William Brandon Clark, Lakeland; and numerous other family members.

DANIEL L. GULLION

Mr. Daniel L. Gullion, age 46, a resident of Elba, Ala., died Monday, May 21, 2018, at Medical Center Enterprise.

Funeral arrangements will be announced upon completion by Hayes Funeral Home of Elba.

EMMA JEAN ADDISON

Mrs. Emma Jean Addison, age 92, a resident of Lakeland, Fla., died Friday, May 18, 2018, at Valencia Hills Health and Rehabilitation Center in Lakeland.

Graveside services will be held at Evergreen Cemetery on Friday, May 25, 2018, beginning at 11 a.m., with Rev. Joel Snell officiating. Burial will follow with Hayes Funeral Home directing.

Visitation will be at

Hayes Funeral Home on Friday, May 25, from 10 to 10:45 a.m. In lieu of flowers the family requests memorials be made to Cornerstone Hospice, c/o 2140 E. County Road 540A, Lakeland, FL 33813.

Mrs. Addison was preceded in death by her husband Edward Addison, parents Mattie Mae and William Henry Ward, along with a son William Leslie Addison, and a daughter Shirley Ann Hunt.

Survivors include her daughters: Wanda Elaine (Richard) Williams, Sarasota, Fla., Martha Jo Addison, Lakeland; son-in-law: Don Hunt, Sarasota; sister: Madelyn Martin, North Fort Myers, Fla.; five grandchildren,

eight grandchildren, and four great great-grandchildren.

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CARD OF THANKS

The family of Leroy Lawford would like to thank everyone for their prayers, visits, flowers, food, calls and the many more kind expressions of sympathy shown following the death of our precious loved one! Your support at this difficult time was very much appreciated and of great comfort to all of our family and will always be remembered!

We would also like to extend our thanks and appreciation to Hayes Funeral Home for all of their excellent care and guidance which they provided our family.

We send a warm thank you to Pastor Dwight Johnson, Elba First Assembly of God, for his message celebrating the life of Leroy and expounding on the love and service he had always shown for his Savior and for his life long church, Elba First Assembly! Also, a special thanks to the church family for providing and serving such a delicious luncheon to our family following the funeral!

Finally, words can't express our appreciation and gratitude for the care and compassion shown to our loved one and family by the Enterprise Health and Rehab, especially the third hall nursing and support staff, during our loved one's last days! The love and friendship shown to our family over the months and in those last difficult days will always be remembered!

Blessings and love,

Nell Lawford, Frances Lawford, Wayne Lawford
Dennis Lawford, Terry Lawford,
and Families



Elba Public Library Summer Reading Program to begin Wednesday, June 6

Readers of all ages will explore all things musical this summer as the Elba Public Library presents "Libraries Rock" during the summer library program.

Activities may include group games, musical crafts, art projects, and a movie.

The 2018 Summer Reading Program begins Wednesday, June 6, at 10 a.m. and is open to children ages 6-11. Registration begins May 25, 2018 at the library.

As part of the Summer Program at the Elba Public Library, Didgeridoo Down Under will entertain on Monday, June 6, at 10 a.m. Didgeridoo Down Under offer exciting Australia-themed shows, concerts and workshops. It is unique fusion of music, culture, science, comedy, character building, anti-bullying, environmentalism and audience participation.

For more information about Didgeridoo Down Under, visit the website: www.didgedownunder.com

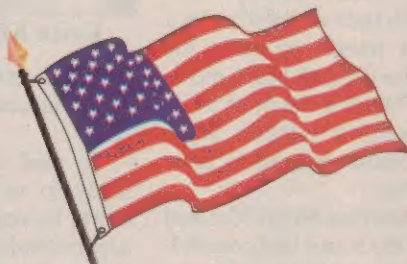
For more information, call the Elba Public Library at (334) 897-6921 or visit the website: elbapubliclibrary.com.

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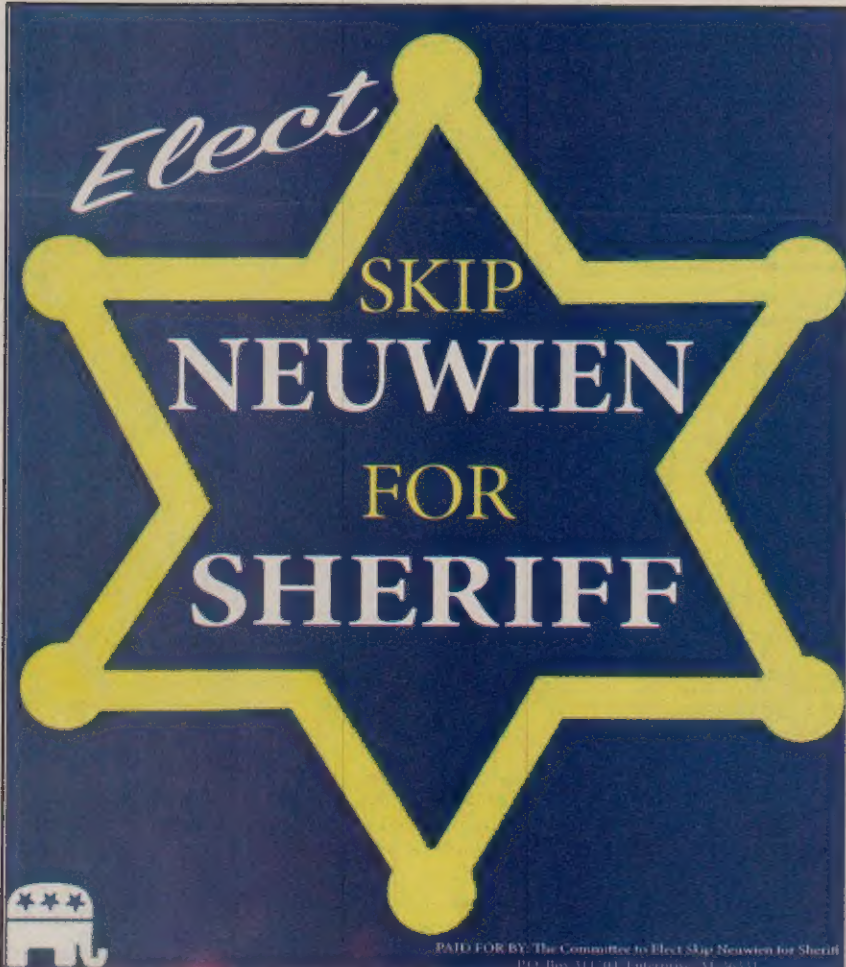


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EDITORIAL

BRAINSTORMS

With Ferrin Cox

"If nobody spoke unless he had something to say, the human race would very soon lose the use of speech." – W. Somerset Maugham

New Medicare cards being issued for some, if not all, U. S. citizens. It appears to us that this is targeting us sure enough old folks who were given the original Medicare cards with our social security numbers as our Medicare number. The word has been out for some time that this would be happening, but apparently it has now started. Of course the con artists are a step ahead of the feds with their game. So WARNING!! Do not respond to those phone calls asking for your new number, your SS number, etc. Don't apologize, make excuses or anything . . . just hang up!! If you have any doubts, hang up from that call and place a call to the Medicare folks – with a number you got off your paperwork for Medicare, not the person on the phone!! This is very important for your security and privacy and can't be stressed too much.

Another horrible, scary school shooting took place last week. This time it was in Texas. The experts in most any field will explain that they can better solve a problem with more data, in this case – more shootings to examine. Yet unless they have some magic ball to gaze into, this last one only showed them something else that will not work. Many of us tended to think that the automatic rifle was the villain in these mass shootings. Therefore clamping down on the sale and ownership of those weapons would win the battle. Well this time it was a pistol and a plain old shotgun but ten people were killed and another ten wounded. More would have been victims if not for a police officer placing himself in harms' way (and getting wounded) in an effort to stop the teenager. Now any proposal for (effective) gun control has got to include more than the automatic rifle. An ideal solution would probably involve somehow getting into people's brain and detecting each of our potential for such violence before it happens. However that would raise blood pressure on many folks, including some of the anti-gun folks – and yours truly. Just like war is fought much differently than it was even fifty years ago, so is this enemy that must be tackled in some new and unique way. Our children are too important for us not to eliminate this blight.

It is almost Election Day and those aggravating political polls continue to show that a huge percentage of those who indicate they intend to vote are "undecided" on just which candidate should get their vote. We have two sample ballots in the paper this week. It is strongly suggested you take that ballot, study it one race at the time and decide which candidate is your favorite. If you look at a race and just see a bunch of strange names, follow our lead and start reading up on them . . . before voting day.

A combination of mechanical issues at our regular contract printer last week led to using emergency back-up plans to get the paper printed. Alas, many of the pictures and much of the type was dark, messy and often unreadable. The traditional printer's equipment is fixed and this should not be a problem this week . . . we hope! To our readers, our advertisers and more importantly to the people directly impacted by the mess, we apologize. We take our twenty lashes with the wet noodles.

Elba Police Report

The Elba Police Department, beginning Monday, May 14, investigated the following incidents: two for harassment, one unauthorized use of a motor vehicle, one disorderly conduct, one resisting arrest, two for criminal mischief, one for a domestic incident, one for possession of a controlled substance, one for possession of drug paraphernalia, one for public intoxication, and one for criminal trespassing.

Arrests made during the week included: six for failure to appear, one for disorderly conduct, one for resisting arrest, one for contempt of court, one for possession of a controlled substance, one for possession of drug paraphernalia, and one for public intoxication.

Traffic citations issued were as follows: one for a revoked driver's license.

MONDAY, MAY 14 – Coffee County EMS dispatched to 553 Hwy. 84

(9:54 a.m.); Coffee County EMS dispatched to 1918 County Rd. 201 (10:30 a.m.); Coffee County EMS dispatched to the intersection of County Rd. 239 and County Rd. 223 (11:10 a.m.); Coffee County EMS dispatched to 438 County Rd. 216 (8:42 p.m.); Domestic disturbance reported at 979 Johnson St. (9:51 p.m.).

TUESDAY, MAY 15 – Coffee County EMS dispatched to 1692 County Rd. 200 (7:49 p.m.); Domestic incident reported at 1623 Parker St. (8:40 p.m.); Domestic disturbance reported at 522 Williams (9:09 p.m.); Coffee County EMS dispatched to 522 Williams (9:10 p.m.); Coffee County EMS dispatched to 715 Pinedale Dr. (9:10 p.m.); Elba Fire Department dispatched as mutual aide for Ino for a wreck at 7790 Hwy. 134 (10:50 p.m.); Coffee County EMS dispatched to 7790 Hwy. 134 (11:06 p.m.).

WEDNESDAY, MAY 16 – Coffee County EMS dispatched to a wreck at 8525 County Rd. 134 (8:32 a.m.).

THURSDAY, MAY 17 – Coffee County EMS dispatched to 3267 County Rd. 105 (4:34 a.m.); Coffee County EMS dispatched to 731 West St. (9:32 a.m.); Elba Fire Department dispatched to 2525 County Rd. 377 (12:21 p.m.); Coffee County EMS dispatched to Dorsey Trailers (2:54 p.m.); Coffee County EMS dispatched to 702 Newton St. (7:20 p.m.); Domestic disturbance reported at 1209 Farris Ave. (10:00 p.m.).

FRIDAY, MAY 18 – Elba Fire Department dispatched to 690 Lee St. (12:20 p.m.); Coffee County EMS dispatched to 1269 Highland Dr. (3:42 p.m.); Elba Fire Department dispatched to 1269 Highland Dr for lift assist (3:43 p.m.); Possible burglary reported at 1825 County Rd. 505 (10:04 p.m.).

SATURDAY, MAY 19 – Coffee County EMS dispatched to 407 County Rd. 107 (2:01 a.m.); Coffee County EMS dispatched to 320 County Rd. 349 (2:43 a.m.); Elba Fire Department dispatched to 717 W. Davis St. (9:56 a.m.); Coffee County EMS dispatched to 724 County Rd. 204 (4:36 p.m.); Single vehicle accident reported on Hwy. 84 E (4:52 p.m.); Coffee County EMS dispatched to 137 Plant Ave. (5:10 p.m.).

SUNDAY, MAY 20 – Coffee County EMS dispatched to a wreck near County Rd. 377 (4:14 p.m.); Coffee County EMS dispatched to 22188 Hwy. 87 (11:26 p.m.).



ELBA NATIVE DR. HENRY TERRY BROUGHT HIS MONTGOMERY HIGH SCHOOL CHOIR to Elba recently for a free concert saluting those people from his home town who helped mold him into the man and musician he is today. The printed program featured three Elba women who were so influncial in his formative early musical training. They were the late Mrs. Poncey Collier, Mrs. Gladys Yelverton and Mrs. Lois Holt. The Sunday afternoon concert was held at the Elba United Methodist Church.

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liaison to the state 911 board.

Chairman Webb considers the entire board to be excellent contributors to the success of the Coffee County 911 System, which he said is one of the best in the state.

Board members include: Dean Blair, representing the City of Enterprise; Dale Grimes, representing the Town of New Brockton; Drew Parker, representing the City of Elba; Russell Young, representing the Town of Kinston; Gloria T. Webb, county-at-large member; Charles L. Webb, county-at-large member; and Terry Wilkins, county-at-large member.

The City of Enterprise has a separate 911 Board – the city council there serves as the 911 Board. It also recently had a biennial audit and debriefing.

The results of the Enterprise audit were the same as the county with no adverse findings. This audit also revealed only commendations for excellence in providing an excellent

911 system to citizens.

The coordinator for the Enterprise Board is Lon Jones, a long-term coordinator of the Enterprise 911 System. His principal assistant is Tangi Hill.

The Coffee County and Enterprise 911 systems work together seamlessly with excellent coordination and cooperation, officials said.

This Memorial Day, please remember that Freedom is not Free! Honor those who gave all!!



Dr. Henry Terry with two of the music teachers he credits with guiding him in his music training during his childhood growing up in Elba, Alabama. Pictured with Terry are left, Mrs. Gladys Yelverton and right Mrs. Lois Holt. Also honored was the late Mrs. Poncey Collier.

U.S. Rep. Roby congratulates Fort Rucker for receiving Commander in Chief's Award for Installation Excellence

U.S. Secretary of Defense James Mattis announced that Fort Rucker has been named a recipient of the Commander in Chief's Annual Award for Installation Excellence.

U.S. Representative Martha Roby (R-AL) congratulated Fort Rucker with the following statement:

"I would like to extend huge congratulations to Maj. Gen. William Gayler, Col. Brian Walsh, and the many hardworking men and women who work at Fort Rucker for bringing home this prestigious award," said Representative Roby. "Those of us who live and work in Alabama's Second District know well that Fort Rucker is one of the finest military installations in the country, and I could not be prouder that they've received this outstanding recognition from Secretary Mattis. This honor is well deserved."

According to the Department of Defense, the Commander in Chief's Annual Award for Installation Excellence recognizes the outstanding and innovative efforts of the people who operate and maintain U.S. military

installations. The five recipients of this highly competitive presidential award were selected for their exemplary support of Department of Defense

missions. More info about Fort Rucker's accomplishments is available at <<https://www.acq.osd.mil/ei>>.

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LIFESTYLES



TB&T Donates to the Elba Public Library... Troy Bank & Trust, during Community Banking Month in April, held a book drive in conjunction with National Library Week. Gently used books were donated to the Elba Public Library. Pictured is TB&T loan officer Barry Giles; director of the Elba Public Library Kathy Hathcock; and TB&T loan officer Rene Lambert.

LBWCC offering cookie decorating course in June

LBW Community College in Andalusia is offering a Cookie Decorating course Saturday, June 16, from 9-11 a.m., in the Jeff Bishop Student Center kitchen.

In this class, students will learn how to royal-ice decorative cookies by piping, flooding, and detailing. Participants will be decorating owls to share with

friends and family and will have 12 cookies to enjoy.

Each student will need to bring a large baking sheet.

Space is limited. The course fee is \$30, plus a supply fee of \$20. A total of \$50 is due by June 1st.

Participants may register in person in the Student Services office Monday – Thursday, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. or Friday, 8 a.m. – Noon.

For more information call (334) 881-2231 or nworley@lbwcc.edu

WCC of Dothan recognizes Spring honor students

Wallace Community College recently announced the President's and Dean's lists for spring term 2018. Students awarded to the President's list must have completed a minimum of 12 semester hours with a grade point average of 4.0. Eligibility for the Dean's list is based on a GPA of 3.5 or higher, with a minimum of 12 semester hours.

Local students named to the spring 2018 President's list are:

Elba: Tiffany Marie Harrison, Robert Clark Logan and Kinley Laine Parker; and

New Brockton: Victoria Grace Hudson;

Those named to the spring 2018 Dean's list are:

Elba: Brittney Lakeita Clark;

Jack: Keetra Dawn Carter; and

New Brockton: Hayden Evan Herring and Austin Lane Strahan.

America's Homecoming Queen selection set for July 16-17 in Pigeon Forge, Tenn.

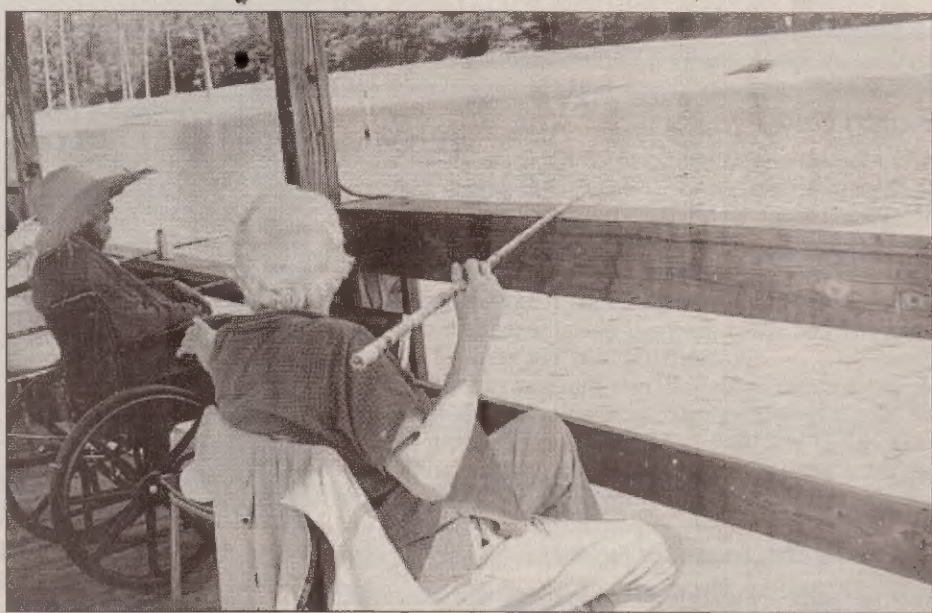
The 38th America's Homecoming Queen Selection will be held July 16th and 17th in Pigeon Forge, Tennessee.

If any 2017-2018 High School Homecoming Queens have not received an application from their

high school, email or call America's Homecoming: ahq1181@yahoo.com or phone 901-755-9144.

A homecoming for Alumni from the past 37 years will also be hosted at this time. High School Homecoming Queens from 1981 – 2017 are invited to be a part of this celebration.

Elba Nursing Home residents enjoy day at the lake



The activities department of the Elba Nursing Home and Rehab facility took residents on their annual Spring fishing trip at the Coffee County Lake last Friday morning, May 18th.

The residents and employees/volunteers enjoyed a morning of fishing from the lake's pier and then lunch before returning to the nursing home facility.

The activities department tries to plan at least two fishing trips [Spring and Fall] each year for the residents, and those who go always seem to have a fantastic time! This is just one of the many ways the Elba Nursing Home strives to keep its residents active and enjoying themselves.

Here are some scenes from last week's fishing trip...



Coffee County Family Services partners with Pilgrim's for job fair

Coffee County Family Services Center is joining with Pilgrim's to offer assistance with applying for jobs needed at that facility located in Enterprise, Ala.

Representatives of Coffee County Family Services and Pilgrim's will be on hand Saturday, June 9, from 10 a.m. until 1 p.m. to assist job applicants in the application process. This event will be held at the offices of Coffee County Family Services Center located at 208 West Brunson Street in Enterprise.

Applicants will receive a goody bag, while supplies

last, and are eligible to sign-up for door prizes and enjoy a BBQ chicken plate.

"The mission of Coffee County Family Services Center is to strengthen families by working with public and private organizations to efficiently use available resources; thereby, improving the quality of life for children families and communities," said CCFSC executive director Judy Crowley. "We appreciate Pilgrim's working with us to provide an easier venue for individuals to apply for employment. Having a steady job with great benefits can have a tremendous impact on family dynamics and lead to a happy, healthy, stable family."

NOTICE:

The Elba Public Library currently is conducting its Spring Book Sale! This book sale will continue through May 31st.

The Elba Public Library is located at 406 Simmons Street in downtown Elba. Director of the Elba Public Library is Kathy Hathcock.

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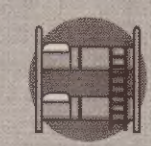
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FOR MORE INFORMATION ON BACTERIAL MENINGITIS AND THE MENINGOCOCCAL VACCINE, VISIT alabamapublichealth.gov/immunization or facebook.com/AlabamaImmunizationInfo.



OFFICE CLOSING NOTICE:

The Elba Clipper office will be CLOSED Monday, May 28, in observance of the Memorial Day holiday. All news and advertising for next week's paper [Thursday, May 31st] will be due to the office no later than Noon on Tuesday, May 29th.

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NEVER WALK IN DARKNESS

This is an exciting time for many of us! Families, including mine, all across our area are celebrating with recent graduates. The spotlight is shining on them! We are excited to see what lies ahead and celebrating many accomplishments.

Education is important and helps us with enlightenment, but the most important education anyone could ever have is found in God's Word. It is that education, or guidance, that will enable us to never walk in darkness.

John and the other apostles preached the message that "God is light." "This then is the message which we have heard of him, and declare unto you, that God is light, and in him is no darkness at all." (1 John 1:5)

There is no darkness in God. It was Jesus himself who declared that in God there is no darkness at all. John also wrote, "If we say that we have fellowship with him, and walk in darkness, we lie, and do not the truth." (1 John 1:6)

A person who claims to be a Christian but does not live by the Bible's truth is only making a false claim. As Christians we are called by God to walk in the light. "But if we walk in the light, as He is in the light, we have fellowship one with another, and the blood of Jesus Christ his Son cleanseth us from all sin." (1 John 1:7) Those who walk in the light have left the darkness and are walking in purity and godliness.

The first consequence of a Christians walking in the light is fellowship with other Christians. We need each other to accomplish the ultimate achievement of Heaven just as it has taken a multitude of people to get our students through school.

A second consequence of walking in the light is forgiveness of sins by the blood of Jesus. Walk in the light; or to say it another way, live a holy life by following the word of God. As you walk in the light you enjoy fellowship with God. He is the one who loves us when we're unlovable, who gave his son for us, and wants to be a part of every stage of our life.

As our students graduate let us remind them to never walk in darkness! Education is important and should continue for lifetime, and a Godly education will result in a lifetime in Heaven with God himself.



Upcoming Vacation Bible School dates and times announced for several local Baptist churches

First Baptist Church, New Brockton – June 3rd through 6th, from 5:30 until 8:30 p.m.

Newbia Baptist Church – June 22 through 24, Friday, June 22 from 6 until 8:30 p.m.; Saturday – June 23, from 10 a.m. until 3:00 p.m.; Sunday, June 24th the Closing program will be at 11:00 a.m.

Damascus Baptist Church – from June 3 through 8th from 6 until 8:30 p.m.

New Home Baptist Church – June 10th until June 15th. Sunday from 5 until 7 p.m.; Monday through Thursday from 6:00 until 8:30 p.m. and Friday Night at 6:00 p.m.

Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church – from June 10th through June 14th from 5:30 until 8:30 p.m.

Goodman Baptist Church - June 24 through 29th from 5:30 until 8:30 p.m.

Basin Baptist Church - June 24th until 29th from 5:30 until 8:30 p.m.

CHURCH NEWS

Harris Temple COGIC set to host Legacy Conference June 1st-3rd

Harris Temple COGIC of Elba will host a 2018 Legacy Conference June 1st-3rd.

The conference schedule is as follows:

Friday, June 1st - A Walk Down Memory Lane" from 7 until 9 p.m. at Harris Temple;

Saturday, June 2nd - Family Fun Day from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. at the Coffee County Lake;

Saturday evening, June 2nd - The Legacy Ball from 6:30 until 8:30 p.m. at the Elba Recreation Center;

Sunday, June 3rd - Church Anniversary Celebration from 11 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. at Harris Temple COGIC.

There is a registration fee for this conference. Everyone is invited to attend.

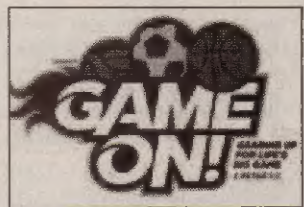
First Baptist Church of Elba plans VBS for June 10th-14th

It is Vacation Bible School time at First Baptist Church Elba!

Grab those megaphones, lace up those cleats, and tune up that horn. It is time to gear up for the big game.

Join First Baptist Church in Elba for a week of preparing for life's big game at Game On! Kids will begin each day at the Pep Rally. From the Pep Rally, kids will gather at the Field House where they will be equipped to dig deep into God's Word.

Kids will learn that God has given them everything they need through His divine power. Each day



Children age Pre-K through Grade 6 are admitted free from Sunday, June 10, from 5-8:30 p.m. and Monday, June 11, through Thursday, June 14, from 8:30-11:30 a.m.

For more information, call (334) 897-2246 or visit the website fbcclba.com.

Round and About

With Eria's Daughter

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Scripture: Death comes to All [Ecclesiastes 8:10-17]

Thinking of You! Praying for You.

Betty Moore, Rosa Lee Taylor, Teresa Irizarry, Rose Coleman, Helen Thigpen, Wendy Wood, Emily Newman, Winston Kelley Jr., Maria Duncan

rather reprove them" [Ephesians 5:11].

Darkness is also a symbol of punishment [see Matthew 25: 29, 30; Jude 6, 13]. What a privilege and joy it is for Christians who have been turned "from darkness to light, and from the power of Satan unto God" [Acts 26: 18].

May Birthdays / Anniversaries
Brenda Coleman 5/2
Kendra Yvonne Culver 5/2
William Lester Thigpen 5/2 (in memory)
Rashad Sistrunk 5/3
Ann (Lollie) Hamm 5/3
Irene Silar 5/4
Kolera Burrows 5/4
Jauan Starks 5/7
Charlie Merritt 5/7
Lizzie Pearl Wright 5/7
Christopher Whitehurst 5/7
Tori Young Brooks 5/8

Question / Answer Session
Q/A for the Week of 5-17-18

True or False
Q: Through Christ we have fellowship with the Father.
A: True - We do have fellowship with God through Christ. [Read 1 John 1: 3]

Thought to Remember
Remember that Grace is a gift with strings attached - Heart Strings

Question for the Week of 5-24-18

Multiple Choice
Q: We abide in Jesus when we (pray), (walk), or (obey) as He did.

Today is a good day! Be grateful.

Eria's Daughter, Sue

Attend the Church of Your Choice This and Every Sunday



LBW MATH AWARDS...LBW Community College President Dr. Herb Riedel, left, recently congratulated several students in Opp for receiving the 2018 Award of Excellence in Mathematics, including Samantha Taylor of Wing, Shae Marler of Brantley, and Mistie Dawn Flowers of Jack.

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ABUNDANT LIFE CHURCH SAMSON, Ala.
Richard Thorn, Sr. Pastor
Morn. Worship... 10:30 a.m.
Wed. Night Service 7:00 p.m.

ALBERTON BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Even. Worship... 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

BASIN BAPTIST CHURCH
Sam Self, Pastor
Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Even. Worship... 5:30 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service 6:30 p.m.

BETHEL AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Rev. Deborah A. Butler, Pastor
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Wed. Bible Study... 6:00 p.m.

BETHLEHEM BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:30 a.m.
Wed. Bible Class... 6:30 p.m.

BETHANY BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor
Sunday School... 9:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 10:00 a.m.
Disciple Train... 5:30 p.m.
Even. Worship... 6:30 p.m.

BLUFF SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH
Tom Senn, Pastor
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Even. Worship... 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service 6:30 p.m.

BROOKLYN BAPTIST CHURCH
Robert Davis, Pastor
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Even. Worship... 6:00 p.m.

CHESTNUT GROVE METHODIST
Rev. Remonia Smith
Church Service... 9:00 a.m.
2nd & 4th Sundays
Sunday School... 9:00 a.m.
1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.
2nd & 4th Sundays

CORNERSTONE BIBLE CHURCH
Larry Mills-Pastor
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Wed. Night... 7:00 p.m.



COVENANT COMMUNITY CHURCH

Diana White, Pastor
Bible Study... 9:00 a.m.
Fellowship... 9:45 a.m.
Worship... 10:00 a.m.
Wed. Night (Youth Real Deal and Children's Activities)... 6:00 p.m.

DAMASCUS BAPT. CHURCH
Steve Watson, Pastor
Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Even. Worship... 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

DORCAS BAPTIST CHURCH
Dale Morgan-Pastor
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Discipleship Training 5:00 p.m.
Even. Worship... 6:00 p.m.
Prayer Meeting, Wed. 7:00 p.m.

EATON BAPTIST CHURCH
Mark Ward, Pastor
Sunday School... 10:30 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Wed. Bible Study... 6:15 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF CHRIST
Phillip Box, Minister
Bible Study... 9:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 10:00 a.m.
Even. Service... 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study... 6:30 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF GOD
Rev. David Noble, Pastor
Morn. Worship... 10:45 a.m.
Even. Worship... 5:00 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY
H.L. Buckner-Pastor
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Night... 6:00 p.m.
Thur. Night... 7:00 p.m.

ELBA DELIVERANCE TABERNACLE
Allen Richards, Pastor
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service... 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Service... 7:00 p.m.

ELBA 1st ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Dwight Johnson, Pastor
Sunday School... 9:30 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 10:30 a.m.
Even. Service... 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Service... 6:30 p.m.

ELBA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Michael Lawler, Pastor
Sunday School... 9:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 10:00 a.m.
Even. Services... 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study... 6:00 p.m.

ELBA ZION BAPT. CHURCH
Lovell Martin, Pastor
Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service... 6:00 p.m.

EVANGELIST TEMPLE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

Timothy Williams, Pastor
Sunday School... 10:30 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:30 a.m.
Wed. Bible Study... 6:00 p.m.

FAIRVIEW BAPT CHURCH
Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Wed. Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.

FAITH CHAPEL COMMUNITY CHURCH
Phillip Adcock, Pastor
Sunday Morning... 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening... 11:00 a.m.
Wed. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

1st ASSEMBLY OF GOD - KINSTON
Danny Bradshaw, Pastor
Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Wed. Bible Study... 7:00 p.m.

FRIENDSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH
Scott Donaldson, Pastor
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Even. Worship... 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service 6:30 p.m.

FRIENDSHIP HOLINESS CHURCH
Edward E. Drake, Pastor
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening... 5:00 p.m.

GODS POWER HOUSE EVANGELISTIC CHURCH.
Overseer - Bro Billy Berry
Sat. Service... 6:00 p.m.
Sun. Service... 10:00 a.m.
Even. Service... 4:00 p.m.

GREATER NEW ZION BAPTIST CHURCH
Willie L. Peterson, Pastor
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.

HARRIS TEMPLE COGIC
W. K. Ellison, Pastor
Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Wed. Service... 6:00 p.m.

HAM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Michael Lawler Pastor
Morn. Worship... 8:45 a.m.

HAW HILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Shirley Ellis, Pastor
Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service... 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

HEBRON BAPT. CHURCH
Mark Cooper, Pastor
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service... 6:30 p.m.
Wed. Even. Meeting 7:00 p.m.

INO ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Wesley D. Ard, Pastor
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service... 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meeting... 6:30 p.m.

INO BAPTIST CHURCH
Garry Winstead, Pastor
Sunday School... 8:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 10:00 a.m.
Even. Service... 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

JACK ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Bro. Andy Marler, Pastor
Sunday School... 9:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service... 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service... 7:15 p.m.

KINSTON 1st BAPT CHURCH
Ben Posey, Pastor
Morn. Worship... 10:00 a.m.
Sunday School... 9:00 a.m.
Even. Service... 5:00 p.m.

LIVING WOOD CHURCH
Derrick Stinson, Pastor
Saturday Service... 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Service... 10:30 a.m.
Even. Service... 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Youth Service... 6:00 p.m.
Thurs. Service... 6:00 p.m.

LIBERTY CHURCH OF CHRIST
Greg Hanchey, Minister
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service... 5:00 p.m.

LOVE'S WAY CHURCH
Rev. Charles Jones, Pastor
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening... 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Service... 7:00 p.m.

MT. CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
J. R. Parks, Pastor
Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
1st & 3rd Sundays

MT. GILEAD BAPTIST CHURCH
Dewey Emfinger, Pastor
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening... 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Service... 5:00 p.m.

MT. OLIVE BAPT. CHURCH
Olan Strickland-Pastor
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service... 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH
Kevin Byrd
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.

MT. VERNON ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service... 5:00 p.m.

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Linda Williams, Pastor

Sunday... 11:00 a.m.

Wed. Even... 7:30 p.m.

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Morning Worship... 9:00 a.m.

Evening Worship... 6:00 p.m.

Tuesday Evening... 7:00 p.m.

Friday Evening... 7:00 p.m.

NEWBIA BAPTIST CHURCH

Will Jordan, Pastor

Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.

Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.

Disciple Train... 5:00 p.m.

Evening Worship... 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Night Services 7:00 p.m.

NEW BROCKTON METHODIST

Dr. Craig Bailey, Pastor

Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.

Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.

Even. Worship... 5:00 p.m.

Wed. Bible Study... 6:30 p.m.

NEW CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Terry Godwin, Pastor

Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.

Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.

Bible Study... 5:00 p.m.

Even. Worship... 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Prayer Meet... 6:00 p.m.

NEW EBENEZER BAPTIST CHURCH

Randall Pearson, Pastor

Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.

Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.

Even. Worship... 5:30 p.m.

Wed. Prayer Meet... 6:00 p.m.

NEW GLORIOUS CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

Elder James Starks Jr. - Pastor

Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.

Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.

Even. Worship... 6:00 p.m.

Bib Stud Wed... 6:00 p.m.

NEW HAVEN BAPTIST CHURCH

Shane Thompson, Pastor

Sunday School... 9:00 a.m.

Morn. Worship... 10:00 a.m.

Even. Worship... 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Prayer Meet... 6:30 p.m.

NEW HAVEN ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

Brad Sasser - Pastor

Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.

Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.

Even. Worship... 5:00 p.m.

Wed. Even. Service 6:30 p.m.

NEW HOPE BAPT CHURCH

Bro. Lanny Shepard, Pastor

Sunday School... 9:00 a.m.

Morn. Worship... 10:00 a.m.

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IN THE PROBATE COURT FOR COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA ELBA DIVISION

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF Marvin Daniel Siler DECEASED

CASE NO. PC 2018-035

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT TO BE PUBLISHED

Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to **Jeanette Siler**, Personal Representative on the 2nd day of May, 2018, by the Honorable Steven E. Blair, Judge of Probate Court of Coffee County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
/s/ Steven E. Blair
Steven E. Blair, Judge of Probate
5/10, 5/17 & 5/24-pd.

IN THE PROBATE COURT FOR COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA ELBA DIVISION

IN RE: The estate of CHARLES E. EASTBURN, Deceased

CASE NO. PC 2018-33

NOTICE TO CREDITORS TAKE NOTICE that Letters Testamentary having been granted to **JUDITH SIMMONS EASTBURN** as Personal Representative of the estate of Charles E. Eastburn, deceased, on the 10th day of May, 2018, by the honorable Steven E. Blair. **NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that all persons having claims against the said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
/s/ Gary D. Bradshaw
GARY D. BRADSHAW (BRA074)
Attorney for Petitioner
P.O. Box 311412
Enterprise, AL 36331-1412
(334) 393-6439 / (334) 393-7163 fax
5/17, 24, 31 - pd

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT TO BE PUBLISHED BY PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OR ADMINISTRATOR

ESTATE OF OZELL DAVIS, Deceased
PROBATE COURT PC 2018-038
Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned the 10th day of May, 2018, by the Hon. Steven E. Blair, Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
/s/ Cecil Davis, Personal Representative
5/17, 24, 31-pd

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA
In the Matter of the Estate of **TAYLOR LEANDRA CREEL STINSON**, Deceased

The Honorable Steven E. Blair presiding
Case No.: PC 2018-037
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
The State of Alabama, Coffee County Probate Court.

Estate of Taylor Leandra Creel Stinson
Letters of Administration upon the Estate of said decedent, having been granted to the undersigned on the 9th day of May, 2018, by the Honorable Steven E. Blair, Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, Alabama, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said Estate are required to file an itemized and verified statement of such claim in the office of the said judge of Probate within six (6) months from the above date, or said claim will be barred and payment prohibited.
Personal Representative:
/s/Tonya Creel
Signature of Tonya Creel
5/17, 24, 31-pd

The City of Elba intends to declare the property located on Collier Street, formerly known as the head Start Building, as surplus property at the next city council meeting scheduled for May 29th at 5:30 p.m. Any person interested in this property should contact City Hall at 897-2333 for further information.
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Sealed bids for **T-HANGAR CONSTRUCTION PROJECT**, to be constructed for **THE CITY OF ELBA, ALABAMA AT CARL FOLSOM FIELD**, will be received at 200 Buford Street Elba, AL 36323 until 2:00 pm, Wednesday, June 13, 2018 at which time the bids shall be publicly opened and read aloud. Sealed bids submitted prior to the bid opening should be sent to Pat Boothe, Assistant City Clerk, 200 Buford Street Elba, AL 36323. An Optional Pre-Bid Conference will be held at 2:00 pm, Wednesday, June 6, 2018 at 200 Buford Street Elba, AL 36323. The project includes, but is not limited to 6 unit T-hangar construction and associated site work (grading, concrete aprons, utilities) as shown on the plans and indicated in the specifications. Digital copies of the bid documents are available at www.GarverUSA.com for a fee of \$30. These documents may be downloaded by selecting this project from the "Plan Room" link, and by entering Quest Project Number 5773129 on the "Browse Projects" page. For assistance and free membership registration, contact QuestCDN at 952.233.1632 or info@questcdn.com. Addendums to the bid package will be issued through the online Garver Plan Holders List; therefore, all prime bidders shall be responsible for downloading the bid documents from the Garver online plan room in order to be included in the Plan Holders List. Prime bidders should be registered on the Garver Plan Holders List in order to submit a bid on the project.

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- Mechanics and laborers on the project shall be paid not less than the minimum hourly rates set out in Prevailing Wage Determination Number AL20170159. A copy of this form and the minimum hourly rates are bound in the contract documents. The City of Elba and City of Elba reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive irregularities in the bids and bidding deemed to be in the best interests of City of Elba, and to reject nonconforming, nonresponsive, or conditional bids. Bids must remain in effect for 120 days after the bid opening date.
5/17-24-31/chg

IN THE PROBATE COURT FOR COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA ELBA DIVISION

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF Larry Wayne Whittington DECEASED

Case No. PC 2018-040

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT TO BE PUBLISHED

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to Brenda Sanders and Patricia Price, Co-Personal Representatives on the 21st day of May, 2018, by the Honorable Steven E. Blair, Judge of Probate Court of Coffee County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

/s/ Steven E. Blair
Steven E. Blair,
Judge of Probate
5-24, 31 & 6-7-pd

COMMUNITY NEWS



LBW ANDALUSIA 2018 LITERATURE...During the recent awards program at LBW Community College in Andalusia, Shannon Lightsey, English faculty, left, presented Brandon Walker of Brantley and Tessa Worley of Florala with the 2018 Outstanding World Literature Award, and Payton Thomas of Andalusia with the 2018 Outstanding English Literature Award.

Elba Elementary School taking applications now for 21st Century Summer Program 2018

Elba Elementary School currently is accepting applications for the 21st Century Summer Program 2018.

Elba City Schools superintendent Chris Moseley updated board members on the program during the monthly board meeting Monday evening, May 14, and he said 50 slots are allotted for the program. As of Monday, he said 35 applications had been received.

This year's summer program will begin June 4th and end June 29th. The day begins at 8 a.m. and ends at 12 noon Mondays-Wednesdays. Thursdays are field trip days, which are

generally from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. [could be a little earlier or later depending on the field trip].

There are no classes on Fridays.

Weekly themes this year will include: Healthy Eating/Body Systems; Technology/Entrepreneurs hip; Ocean/Sea; and Space.

Moseley said the Summer Program is headed by elementary counselor Kenya Martin.

Students will learn about the weekly theme and complete STEM related challenges, and the field trips each week also coincide with the theme. Participants will be served breakfast and lunch.

The cost to participate is \$40 [\$5.00 registration fee and 35.00 for the program], and it is open to K-9th grade students. Contact Elba Elementary School for more information.

City of Elba taking applications for Summer Camp E.X.C.E.L.

The City of Elba's "Summer Camp E.X.C.E.L. (EXtraordinary Challenging Exciting Learning) will be June 4 - June 29 each Monday - Thursday from 12:30 p.m. until 5 p.m.

This camp serves children in grades Kindergarten - 9th grade. Camp fees are: \$40 individual rate or family rate of \$40 plus \$5 for each additional sibling.

The Elba Church of Christ will provide transportation for students who also are enrolled in the Elba Elementary School's S.T.E.M. Summer Program.

Camp activities include character building and leadership, arts and crafts, games, sports, and lots of more fun.

Camp EXCEL will be held at the Elba Recreation Department, 764 North Claxton Avenue, Elba. Beverly Daniels-Hamilton is the summer camp director.

Applications are available at the Elba Recreation Department, Elba City Hall, or Elba Elementary School.

For more information, call the recreation department at (334) 897-6833.

Locals graduate from WCC in Dothan

Wallace Community College-Dothan held the 2018 Spring Commencement Exercises Wednesday, May 9, 2018, at the Dothan Civic Center. Alabama Secretary of State John Merrill offered the keynote address. A native of Heflin, Alabama, Merrill is a graduate of The University of Alabama, where he served as president of the Student Government Association. As a college student, he served as a congressional intern with Congressman Bill Nichols and Senator

Howell Heflin.

Local Graduates [for Spring 2018] included:

Elba: Clayton James Beasock, Cody Dale Campbell, Arissa Neely Davis, Richard Codie Johnson, Robert Clark Logan and Markia Gabrielle Reese;

Jack: Courtney Michelle Napper and Jessica Anderson Oakes;

Kinston: Erica Michelle Miller; and

New Brockton: Victoria Grace Hudson and Austin Lane Strahan.



LBW ANDALUSIA 2018 SGA MEMBERS...LBW Community College in Andalusia recently recognized students for their service with the Student Government Association in 2017-2018. Pictured are, front row from left, Diaon Cook, SGA sponsor; Allyssa Morgan of Opp, SGA president; Tessa Worley of Florala, SGA vice president; Paige Odom of Georgiana; Layken Sanders, Luverne; Loni Blatz, Andalusia, SGA historian; Zakeyia Bell, Luverne, SGA secretary; Maycee Worley, Florala; second row, Aleyah Person, Goshen; Kaitlyn Beverly, Georgiana; Elizabeth Cravey, Andalusia; Kaydra Strength, Highland Home; Courtney Bulger, Florala; Shaquera Upshaw, Rutledge, SGA treasurer; third row, Colby Sumblin, Samson; Jaret Oswald, Florala; Kelsey Kelley, Opp; Tabitha Sasser and Tyler Wright, both of McKenzie; Bailey Jones, Evergreen; and Brandon Walker, Brantley.

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SPORTS

Views From The Pressbox

By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor

I guess summer is officially here when your grandson attends a swimming party and comes home without his shirt and a wet head! Lawson had a birthday party over the weekend and was thrilled when he found out that the party would include swimming and he would get to splash around and get wet. Yep, summer is here!

For what it is worth....

*** *The Brantley Lady Bulldogs regained their spot atop the softball world in Alabama* last weekend when they claimed their fourth state championship in the past five years. The Lady Bulldogs closed the state championship run with a 53-4 record, improving its two-year record to an amazing 108-9, and over the past five years in which Brantley has claimed four state titles, their overall record is 220-39. A lot of players have played major roles in the Lady Bulldogs recent success on the softball field, but perhaps none more than senior pitcher Leanna Johnson, who allowed only one run in the area tournament, region tournament and state tournament, combined. At the state tournament, the hard-throwing right-hander recorded 53 strikeouts in 27 innings of work, and was almost un-hittable. Another stat that may have been overlooked last week at the state tournament was the fact that the Lady Bulldogs blasted five home runs, and in their opening win over Isabella collected 8 doubles and one homer. Brantley was looking for redemption after falling in last year's state finals, and got just that as they laid their claim to be the 'best in the state' regardless of classification.

*** *The Kinston Bulldogs took on the Opp Bobcats last week in a spring football game* and almost pulled off a shocker as they dropped a wild 40-30 shootout, in three quarters of action. The Bulldogs actually led after one quarter and were within two points at the half, but Opp had a few too many athletes and it showed late in the game as the gallant Bulldogs saw the clock run out along with their upset hopes. If their performance last week is any indication of things to come, the Kinston Bulldogs may be a team to keep an eye on next season in region play.

*** *The regular season may be over in all sports* and school may be out for the summer, but the coaches at Elba High were still hard at work last week as they spread tons of sand on the football field and practice field to make improvements to the turf, hosted a golf tournament at the Elba County Club to raise funds for the athletic department, and held tryouts in volleyball and basketball for the coming seasons. It is a real sacrifice to be a coach at a small school, but the coaches at Elba High never complain and just keep on working to help make the Tigers the best they can be.

*** *In closing....* the Alabama Crimson Tide has made news in recent weeks with the announcements that the Tide has signed contracts to play Texas and Notre Dame in football. Alabama has never backed away from a challenge and looks for competitive games against non-conference foes, and found that with the addition of these two national powers. When teams like Notre Dame and Texas are added to your schedule it makes it easier to recruit on a national level, raise funds from alumni that enjoy travelling to games and keep the fans happy that love to yell "Roll Tide!"

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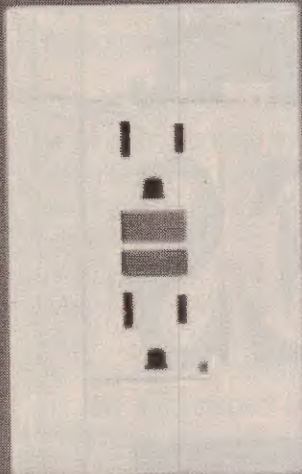
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At state golf tourney

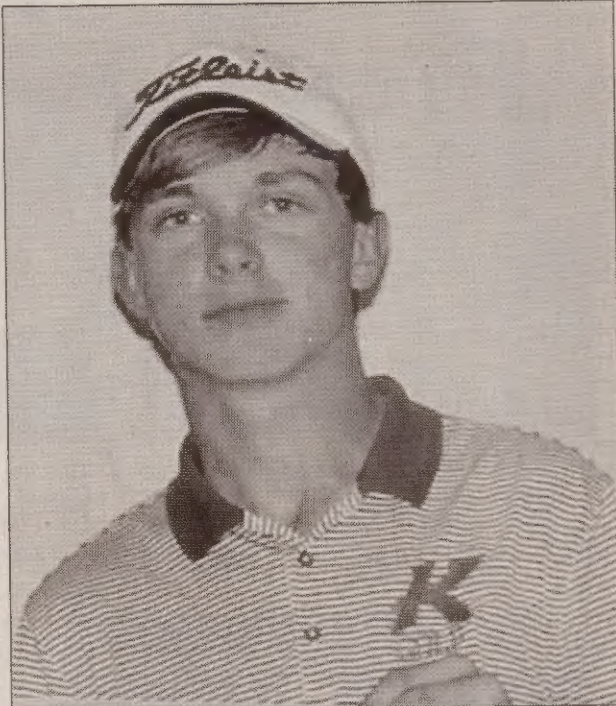
Kinston's Dylan Moulton places third

Kinston High School's Dylan Moulton continued to add pages to the Bulldogs' sports record book last week when he placed third at the 2018 AHSAA State High School Golf Championship to earn 'All-State' honors.

Moulton, a Faulkner University signee, opened the tournament with an even par 72 to finish the opening day in fourth place

among the 23 prep golfers entered in the event, and then carded a two-under par 70 in the final round to post a two-under 142 to claim third place honors.

Moulton stood at two over par after twelve holes in the final round, but birdied four of the closing six holes to get in red figures and post the top three finish.



Kinston Bulldog golfer Dylan Moulton placed third at last week's AHSAA State Golf Championship's after firing a two-under par 140 over 36 holes.

Free fishing day set for June 9th in Alabama

On Saturday, June 9, 2018, Alabamians and visitors alike will have the opportunity to fish for free in most public waters including both freshwater and saltwater. Free Fishing Day is part of National Fishing and Boating Week, which runs June 2-10. Approved by the Alabama Legislature, Free Fishing Day allows residents and non-residents to enjoy the outstanding fishing opportunities Alabama has to offer without having to purchase a fishing license.

The fishing license exemption on Free Fishing Day does not affect some lakes and piers that may still require fees and permits. Fishing in a private pond requires the pond owner's permission.

Anglers can visit www.outdooralabama.com/fishing to find a great fishing spot for Free Fishing Day.

"Free Fishing Day is the perfect opportunity for non-anglers to test the fishing waters and to remind former anglers of all the fun they've been missing," said Nick Nichols, Fisheries Section Chief for the Alabama Division of Wildlife and Freshwater Fisheries. "It's also a great opportunity for kids to get out and learn how fun and exciting fishing is, plus the day gives families a chance to do something together outdoors."

A \$3 daily permit will be required to fish at the Coffee County Lake for all anglers ages 12-64.

AHSAA STATE CHAMPIONS SPRING SPORTS

Baseball

- 1A - Sweet Water
- 2A - G.W. Long
- 3A - Mobile Christian
- 4A - Andalusia
- 5A - Faith Academy
- 6A - Hazel Green
- 7A - Auburn

Softball

- 1A - Brantley
- 2A - G.W. Long
- 3A - Prattville Ch.
- 4A - Hale County
- 5A - Springville
- 6A - Hartselle

7A - Fairhope

Golf (Boys)

- 1A-2A Donoho
- 3A Houston Academy
- 4A UMS-Wright
- 5A St. Paul's
- 6A Muscle Shoals
- 7A Mt. Brook

(Girls)

- 1A-3A Providence Ch.
- 4A-5A Northside
- 6A Muscle Shoals
- 7A Auburn

Bull calf workshop set for June 30

The Alabama Cooperative Extension office will host Bull Calf Evaluation and Marketing Workshops for purebred producers and bull develop-

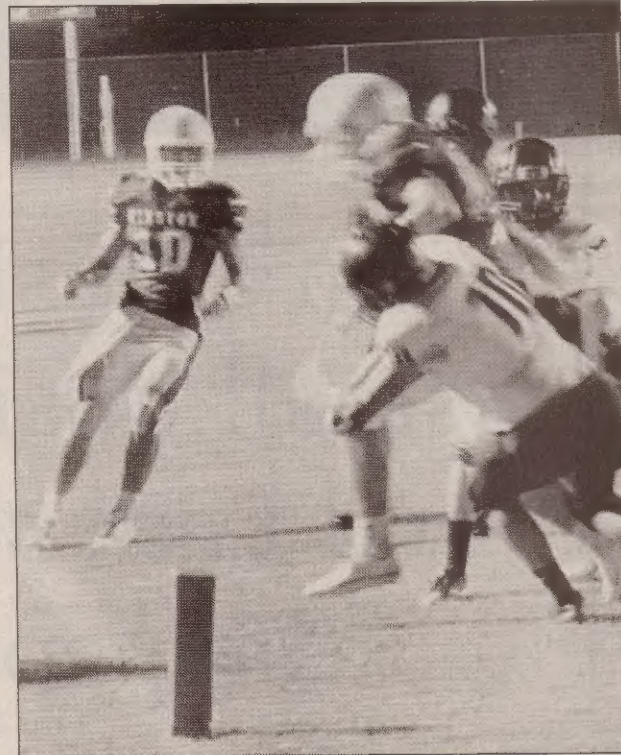
ers on Saturday, June 30th. Purebred producers can spend the afternoon learning hands-on techniques for evaluating bull calves and determining marketing avenues. There will be a focus on structure, muscling and reproductive potential.

The June 30th workshop will be from 9 a.m. until 12 noon at Hardy Farms, 2833 Jack Springs Road, Atmore, Ala. Reserve a spot by June 22nd by calling Kelly Palmer at 251-654-7149 or email ridleka@auburn.edu

KINSTON SPRING FOOTBALL HIGHLIGHTS



Kinston Bulldog quarterback Austin Calhoun looks for room to run in action last week in a spring football game against the Opp Bobcats.



Kinston Bulldog fights for the endzone after pulling in a short pass in last week's 40-30 loss to Opp in spring football action.



Manring signs softball pact with LBW

Andalusia High School senior Millie Manring signed her letter of intent on Tuesday morning to continue her softball career with the LBWCC Lady Saints.

Manring has been a key part of the Lady Bulldogs' softball and volleyball teams the past several years.

Seated from left to right: Buddy Manring (father), Millie Manring, Susan Manring (mother) and Murline Manring (grandmother).

Standing from left to right: Evan Soles (AHS assistant softball and volleyball coach), Anthony Mikel (AHS head softball coach), Tiffany Taylor (LBWCC head softball coach) and Dr. Daniel Shakespeare (AHS principal).

SPORTS



In high school softball

Brantley is back on top!



Former Brantley and current Mississippi State softball standout Alex Wilcox was present to help present the state championship trophy to the Brantley Lady Bulldogs.
(Photo by Mike Capps)

The Brantley Lady Bulldogs began the 2018 high school softball season determined to regain their spot as the top team in the state in Class 1A and completed that task last week at the state tournament as they outscored their victims 27-1 in four games and posted two wins over the team that dethroned them a year ago to claim their fourth 1A state softball championship in the past five years.

The four tournament wins upped Brantley's record to 53-4, and over the last two seasons the Lady Bulldogs have amassed an incredible record of 108 wins and only nine losses.

Following are highlights of this year's state tournament action:

Brantley 10 Isabella 0

The Lady Bulldogs pulled away late and rode the strong right arm of Leanna Johnson to open the tournament with a solid 10-0 win over Isabella.

Hannah Sims had 3 hits, including two doubles and a home run, scored 3 runs and collected 2 rbi's to lead Brantley at the plate, while Kassidy Wilcox added 3 hits, including two doubles, and had 1 rbi; and, Emory Bush added 2 hits, scored 2 runs and knocked in 1 run. Leanna Johnson was the winning pitcher as she tossed a perfect game over six innings with 15 strikeouts.

Brantley 9 South Lamar 0

The Lady Bulldogs pulled ahead early and pulled away late to post a dominating 9-0 win over South Lamar.

Anna Kimbro had 3 hits, including two doubles, scored 1 run and knocked in 2 runs o lead Brantley at the plate, while Kassidy Wilcox added 2 hits, including a double and a home run, scored 1 run and had 4 rbi's; and, Olivia Jones added 2 hits, scored 2 runs and had 1 rbi. Leanna Johnson tossed a seven inning two-hitter with 13 strikeouts to get the win inside the circle.

Brantley 3 Sumiton Christian 0

The Lady Bulldogs scored three runs in the bottom of the sixth inning to break a scoreless battle and held on to defeat defending state champion Sumiton Christian 3-0.

Anna Kimbro had 2 hits and scored 1 run to lead Brantley at the plate, while Gracie Free added 2 hits and 1 rbi, Kassidy Wilcox added 1 hit and scored 1 run, and Leanna Johnson added 1 hit and 1 rbi. Leanna Johnson was the winning pitcher as she tossed a complete game two-hit shutout with 13 strikeouts.

Brantley 5 Sumiton Christian 1

The Lady Bulldogs pulled ahead in the fourth inning and never looked back to dethrone Sumiton Christian 5-1, in their final game of the eight-team state tournament.

Kassidy Wilcox had 3 hits, including a double, and scored 1 run to lead Brantley at the plate, while Hannah Sims added 2 hits, including a home run, scored 1 run and had 1 rbi; Olivia Jones added 1 hit, a home run, and had 1 rbi; and, Kayden Dunn added 1 hit, a home run, scored 1 run and collected 2 rbi's. Leanna Johnson was the winning pitcher as she tossed a complete game two-hitter with 12 strikeouts.

In 1A-2A division

Brantley Bulldog golfers take 4th at state tourney

The Brantley Bulldog golf team competed at the 2018 AHSAA State High School Golf Championships last week and made school history with a fourth place finish in the Class 1A-2A division.

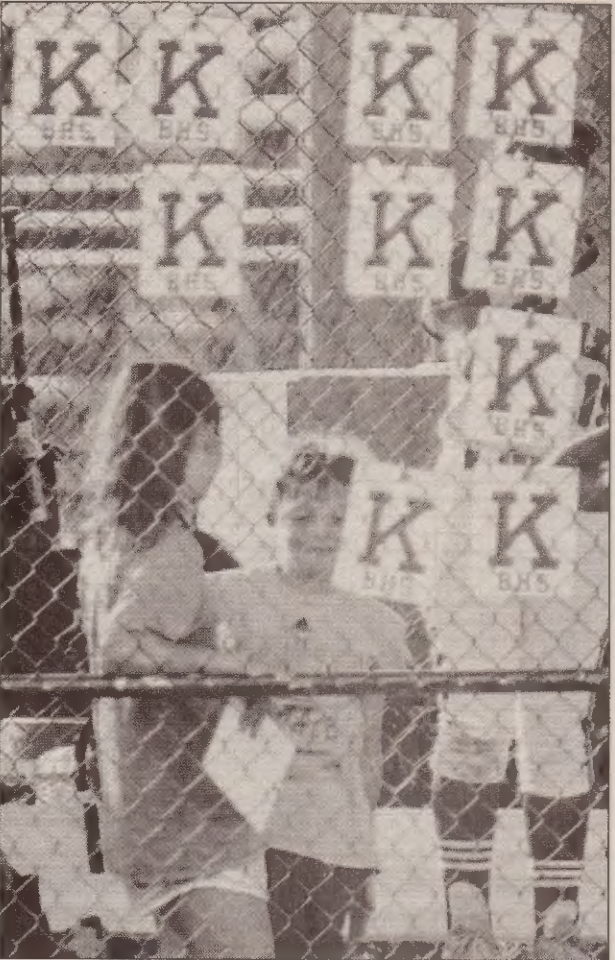
Donoho won the state title with a 614 total over two days of competition, followed by Westbrook

Christian (650), Vincent (709) and Brantley (739).

The Bulldogs were led by Bo Cook with round of 89-90 for a 180 total, and was followed by Jake Kilcrease (91-90-181), Luke Kilcrease (95-89-184), Ethan Weed (103-91-194) and Carson Jones (113-108-221).



Brantley Lady Bulldog softball coach Cindy Hawthorne keeps her team fired up during state tourney play. Coach Hawthorne has led the Lady Bulldogs to a 220-39 record and four state titles over the last five seasons.
(Photo by Colby Capps)



Brantley Lady Bulldog managers had a busy job at last week's state softball tournament hanging up 'K's' as Brantley pitcher Leanna Johnson struck out a total of 53 batters in 27 innings to help lead the Lady Bulldogs to the Class 1A state title.
(Photo by Colby Capps)

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Enterprise Semi-Pro Baseball needs players for this weekend - Saturday, May 26, and Sunday, May 27th.

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If you have any questions about this report or concerning your water utility, please contact Melissa Morris at 334-897-2333.

Council members: ♦ Rolanda Jones ♦ Gappa Wise ♦ Jane Brunson ♦ Tom Maddox ♦ A. R. Williams

All drinking water, including bottled drinking water, may be reasonably expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. It's important to remember that the presence of these contaminants does not necessarily pose a health risk. The EPA or ADEM requires us to monitor for certain contaminants less than once per year because the concentrations of these contaminants do not change frequently.

As you can see by the tables, our system had no monitoring violations of allowable limits of contaminants in drinking water. We're proud that your drinking water meets or exceeds all Federal and State requirements. We have learned through our monitoring and testing that some contaminants have been detected. The EPA has determined that your water IS SAFE at these levels. MCL's are set at very stringent levels. To understand the possible health effects described for many regulated contaminants, a person would have to drink 2 liters of water every day at the MCL level for a lifetime to have a one-in-a-million chance of having the described health effect.

Lead in Drinking Water: "If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. The Elba Water Department is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at <http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead>."

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. People who are immunocompromised such as cancer patients undergoing chemotherapy, organ transplant recipients, HIV/AIDS positive or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. People at risk should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)/CDC (Center of Disease Control) guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by *Cryptosporidium* and other microbiological contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline. All Drinking water, including bottled drinking water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

We at the Elba Water Department work around the clock to provide top quality water to every tap. We ask that all our customers help us protect our water sources, which are the heart of our community, our way of life and our children's future. For more information contact:

Ms. Melissa Morris
Elba Water Department,
200 Buford Street, Elba, AL 3632,
Telephone: 334-897-2333
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Monday - Friday

The Elba Water Department routinely monitors for contaminants in your drinking water according to Federal and State laws. Unless otherwise noted, the data presented in the following tables show the results of our monitoring period of January 1st to December 31st, 2017.

CONTAMINANT	MECL	AMBIENT SOURCE	CONTAMINANT	MECL	AMBIENT SOURCE	CONTAMINANT	MECL	AMBIENT SOURCE
Benzo(a)anthracene			Benzo(a)anthracene	17	160	Benzo(a)anthracene	17	160
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	< 1%	160	Benzo(b)fluoranthene	2	160	Benzo(b)fluoranthene	160	160
Benzo(k)fluoranthene	17	160	Organic Chemicals			Benzo(k)fluoranthene	160	160
Benzo(e)pyrene	9	160	Acetylene	17	160	Glyoxal	160	160
Benzo(g,h,i)perylene	160	160	Alkylbenzene	2	160	Hexachloroanthracene	160	160
Benzo(i)perylene	160	160	Alkylbenzene	5	160	Hexachloroanthracene	160	160
Benzo(j)perylene	160	160	Alkylbenzene	5	160	Hexachloroanthracene	160	160
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deal for them to do what God called them to do."

He said citizens should remember to thank those who put on the badge every day to protect and serve, and should thank those who made the ultimate sacrifice along with the families they left behind.

Wakefield said 135 officers lost their life in 2017 in the United States and already this year [as of Friday] another have died.

Wakefield also reminded officers to remember to be careful in what they do and to remember the values that go along with the duty of the job.

Following the playing of *Taps*, Coffee County Sheriff Dave Sutton gave closing remarks, and thanked all officers for the job they do each and every day. He also thanked the families of the fallen for the sacrifice they too have made to the county.



Tom Maddox plays *Taps* on his trumpet during the memorial service.



Elba Police Chief Freddy Hanchey, New Brockton Police Chief Jimmy Duke, Coffee County Sheriff Dave Sutton, and Kinston Police Chief Russell Young honor the fallen officers of Coffee County with a salute after placing the memorial wreath by the flagpole at the Coffee County Courthouse last Friday afternoon.



Rev. Ken Wilson, Westside Baptist Church, sings the National Anthem during the Law Enforcement Memorial Service. Also shown standing with his hand over his heart is Leon Adams, chaplain for the Coffee County Sheriff's Dept.

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tem at New Brockton and Zion Chapel.

If a contract is reached and approved by the board, Killingsworth will replace current superintendent Terry Weeks, who is retiring on July 1st.

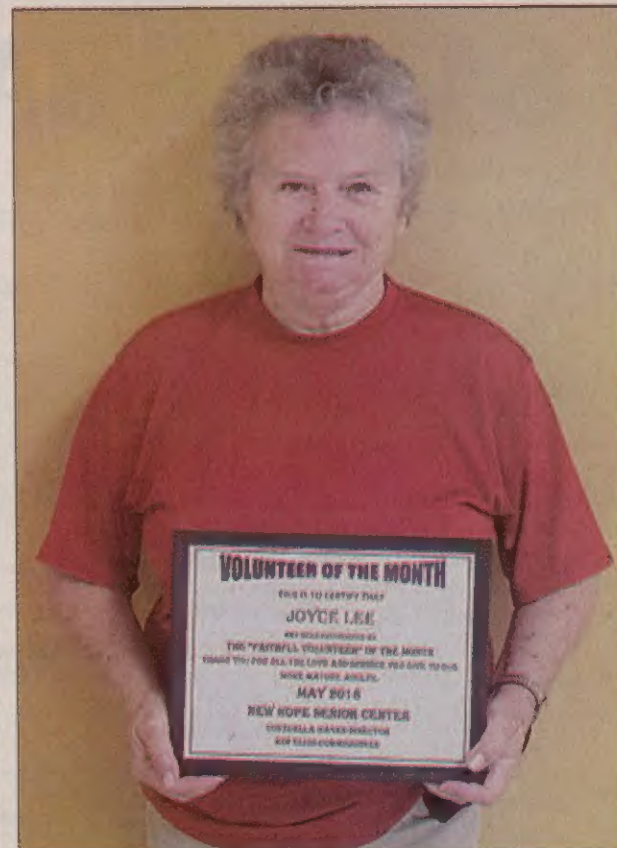
Following the board's vote last Thursday, Killingsworth said, "I appreciate the opportunity the board gave me to be superintendent of Coffee County Schools. I am look-

ing forward to working with each and every one of them and working with the employees of the system for the students of Coffee County."

He added, "This is going to be a great challenge and I look forward to it."

The next regular meeting for the Coffee County Board of Education is set for Thursday, June 7, at 5:30 p.m.

NEW HOPE SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER 'SENIOR OF THE MONTH'



JOYCE LEE IS 69-YEARS-Young! She is the mother of three children – Lisa, Amanda and Tony. She is the proud grandmother of eight grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Joyce has been a member of the New Hope Senior Center for seven years. She is a member of Dorcas Baptist Church. Her hobbies include playing bingo at the center, fishing, camping, and spending time with her grands. Salute to Mrs. Joyce for her service of love by volunteering to serve the old more mature adults at the New Hope Senior Center. This is why she is the Volunteer of the Month!

Take precautions to prevent tick- & mosquito-borne diseases

As the days get longer and the kids get out of school, many Alabamians will be spending a lot more time outside.

Warmer weather means lots of fun outdoor activities, but it also means tick and mosquito season. While most tick and mosquito bites are only an annoyance, sometimes these bites can be dangerous.

"Ticks and mosquitoes can transmit viruses and bacteria when they bite, causing illnesses that range from mild to severe or even fatal," according to Sherri Davidson, interim state epidemiologist.

West Nile virus disease, Lyme disease and Rocky Mountain spotted fever are a handful of diseases Alabamians can get from ticks and mosquitoes in their own backyards.

Luckily, there are several things you can do to lower the risk of disease to you and your family.

Dr. Dee Jones, state public health veterinarian, says, "The best way to avoid getting a disease from a tick or mosquito is to reduce the risk of being bitten."

You can help keep ticks and mosquitoes off of your skin and out of your yard by following these recommendations from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC):

- When going outdoors, use EPA-registered repellents containing 20 percent DEET on skin or perme-

thin on clothes. Follow label instructions carefully when using any repellent. Repellents should not be used on infants less than 2 months old.

- Wear knee-length long sleeves and long pants.
- Install or repair screens on windows and doors. Use air-conditioning, if available.
- Empty standing water from items outside homes such as flowerpots, buckets, old tires and children's pools.
- Clean clogged gutters and clear drainage ditches and pipes of debris.
- Remove leaf litter from yard, and mow lawn frequently.

All Alabamians deserve a healthy, fun-filled summer! You and your family can

safely enjoy all the great outdoor activities our state has to offer if you take steps to avoid mosquito and tick bites.

If you would like to learn more, check out the resources below.

- For more information on repellents, visit <http://cfpub.epa.gov/oppref/insect>

- For more information on prevalence and prevention of tickborne diseases in Alabama, visit <http://www.alabamapublichealth.gov/infectiousdiseases/tickborne-diseases.html>

- For more information on prevalence and prevention of mosquito-borne diseases in Alabama, visit <http://www.alabamapublichealth.gov/mosquito/index.html>



LBW OPP 2017-2018 AMBASSADORS...LBW Community College recently recognized students for their service as 2017-2018 Ambassadors at LBWCC in Opp. Pictured are, from left, LBWCC President Dr. Herb Riedel; Katie Adkison of Enterprise; Summer Deak, Elba; Macy Barber, Opp; Clay Caldwell, Andalusia; and Kelly Weeks, Ambassador sponsor.



LBW ANDALUSIA 2018 STUDENT SUPPORT AWARDS...LBW Community College in Andalusia recently recognized 2018 outstanding participants in Student Support Services (SSS), a federally-funded TRIO program. The program goal is to increase retention and graduation rates among its participants. Pictured are, from left, Kelley Nolen, SSS campus coordinator; Caitlin Bradshaw of Elba, Academic Excellence; Tessa Worley of Florala, Academic Achievement; and Zakeyia Bell of Luverne, Outstanding Participant.

Coffee County Election Website:
www.coffeecountyvotes.com

Philip BOX
COFFEE COUNTY CORONER



VOTE JUNE 5TH

- ✓ Professionalism
- ✓ Integrity
- ✓ Compassion

- ★ Served as Chief Deputy Coroner (Coffee County)
- ★ Current member of the Alabama State Mortuary Operations Response Team
- ★ Licensed Funeral Director and member of the Alabama Funeral Directors Association
- ★ Federal Emergency Management Agency certified
- ★ Minister at the Elba Church of Christ
- ★ Married to Paige for 19 years and Dad to Brantley, Bryson and Brewer
- ★ Graduate of Troy University with a bachelor's degree in Anthropology and minor in Criminal Justice

Pol. reg. ed by Committee to Elect Philip Box, 1200 Highland Dr., Elba AL 36023

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LBW ANDALUSIA ALL-ALABAMA COMPETITORS...LBW Community College in Andalusia recognized students who participated in the 2018 All-Alabama Academic Team competition during the recent annual awards ceremony. Pictured are, from left, LBWCC Dean of Student Affairs Jason Jessie; Hannah Colvin of Red Level; Tessa Worley of Florala; Mallory Kelley of Opp; Peighton Carpenter of Brantley; Caitlin Bradshaw of Elba; Brandon Walker of Brantley; and Anna Bulger of Florala.



LBW ANDALUSIA AUM TRANSFER SCHOLARSHIP...LBW Community College sophomores received scholarships to attend Auburn University at Montgomery (AUM) during LBWCC's recent awards program in Andalusia. Awarded were AUM's Transfer Partnership, Premier Transfer, and Presidential Transfer Scholarships. Pictured are, front row from left, Adonis Bozeman, AUM Admissions Counselor; Paige Odom of Georgiana, \$3,000 scholarship; Kaydra Strength, Highland Home, \$3,000 scholarship; Paige Waldhour, Andalusia, \$1,000 scholarship; second row, Cassidy Godwin, Andalusia, \$5,000 scholarship; Anna Bulger, Florala, \$5,000 scholarship; Winston Sims, Greenville, \$3,000 scholarship; and Brandon Walker, Brantley, full tuition for two years.

SAMPLE BALLOT



OFFICIAL BALLOT

REPUBLICAN PRIMARY ELECTION
COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA

A	REPUBLICAN PRIMARY ELECTION	B	COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA	C	JUNE 5, 2018
INSTRUCTIONS TO THE VOTER TO VOTE YOU MUST BLACKEN THE OVAL (●) COMPLETELY! DO NOT MAKE AN X OR ✓. IF YOU SPOIL YOUR BALLOT, DO NOT ERASE, BUT ASK FOR A NEW BALLOT.					
FOR GOVERNOR (Vote for One)		FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT, PLACE NO. 1 (Vote for One)		FOR STATE AUDITOR (Vote for One)	
<input type="radio"/> TOMMY BATTLE		<input type="radio"/> DEBRA JONES		<input type="radio"/> STAN COOKE	
<input type="radio"/> SCOTT DAWSON		<input type="radio"/> BRAD MENDHEIM		<input type="radio"/> ELLIOTT LIPINSKY	
<input type="radio"/> BILL HIGHTOWER		<input type="radio"/> SARAH HICKS STEWART		<input type="radio"/> JIM ZIEGLER	
<input type="radio"/> KAY IVEY		FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT, PLACE NO. 4 (Vote for One)		FOR COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRIES (Vote for One)	
<input type="radio"/> MICHAEL McALLISTER		<input type="radio"/> JOHN BAHAKEL		<input type="radio"/> TRACY "T.O." CRANE	
FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR (Vote for One)		<input type="radio"/> JAY MITCHELL		<input type="radio"/> GERALD DIAL	
<input type="radio"/> WILL AINSWORTH		FOR COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS, JUDGE, PLACE NO. 1 (Vote for One)		<input type="radio"/> CECIL MURPHY	
<input type="radio"/> TWINKLE ANDRESS CAVANAUGH		<input type="radio"/> CHRISTY OLINGER EDWARDS		<input type="radio"/> RICK PATE	
<input type="radio"/> RUSTY GLOVER		<input type="radio"/> PAT THETFORD		FOR PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, PLACE NO. 1 (Vote for One)	
FOR UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE, 2ND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Vote for One)		<input type="radio"/> MICHELLE MANLEY THOMASON		<input type="radio"/> JIM BOHNER	
<input type="radio"/> TOMMY AMASON		<input type="radio"/> CHAD HANSON		FOR PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, PLACE NO. 2 (Vote for One)	
<input type="radio"/> BOBBY BRIGHT		<input type="radio"/> TERRI WILLINGHAM THOMAS		<input type="radio"/> JEREMY H. OOSH	
<input type="radio"/> RICH HOBSON		FOR COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS, JUDGE, PLACE NO. 2 (Vote for One)		FOR MEMBER, STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION, DISTRICT NO. 2 (Vote for One)	
<input type="radio"/> BARRY MOORE		<input type="radio"/> RICHARD MINOR		<input type="radio"/> CHRIS "Chip" BECKER, JR.	
<input type="radio"/> MARTHA ROBY		<input type="radio"/> RIGGS WALKER		<input type="radio"/> HOBIN LITAKER	
FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL (Vote for One)		FOR COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS, JUDGE, PLACE NO. 1 (Vote for One)		FOR MEMBER, STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION, DISTRICT NO. 2 (Vote for One)	
<input type="radio"/> CHES BEDSOLE		<input type="radio"/> RICH ANDERSON		<input type="radio"/> MELANIE HILL	
<input type="radio"/> TROY KING		<input type="radio"/> CHRIS McCOOL		<input type="radio"/> SYBIL LITTLE	
<input type="radio"/> STEVE MARSHALL		<input type="radio"/> DEWIS O'DELL		<input type="radio"/> JOHN TAYLOR	
<input type="radio"/> ALICE MARTIN		FOR COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS, JUDGE, PLACE NO. 2 (Vote for One)		FOR CIRCUIT COURT, JUDGE, 12TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, PLACE NO. 1 (Vote for One)	
FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT NO. #1 (Vote for One)		<input type="radio"/> RICH ANDERSON		<input type="radio"/> HENRY "Sonny" REAGAN	
<input type="radio"/> RHETT MARQUEE		<input type="radio"/> CHRIS McCOOL		<input type="radio"/> JOSH WILSON	
<input type="radio"/> LISTER H. REEVES JR.		FOR COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS, JUDGE, PLACE NO. 3 (Vote for One)		FOR CIRCUIT CLERK, COFFEE COUNTY (Vote for One)	
<input type="radio"/> CLARKE WHITE		<input type="radio"/> DONNA BEAULIEU		<input type="radio"/> DeANN CRONK	
FOR CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT (Vote for One)		<input type="radio"/> BILL COLE		<input type="radio"/> AMY L. REEVES	
<input type="radio"/> TOM PARKER		FOR SECRETARY OF STATE (Vote for One)		FOR COFFEE COUNTY SHERIFF (Vote for One)	
<input type="radio"/> LYN STUART		<input type="radio"/> MICHAEL JOHNSON		<input type="radio"/> SKIP NEUWIG	
		<input type="radio"/> JOHN H. MERRILL		<input type="radio"/> DAVE SUTTON	
		FOR STATE TREASURER (Vote for One)		FOR COFFEE COUNTY CORONER (Vote for One)	
		<input type="radio"/> DAVID L. BLACK		<input type="radio"/> PHILIP BOX	
		<input type="radio"/> STEPHEN D. EVANS		<input type="radio"/> ROBERT PREACHERS	
		<input type="radio"/> JOHN McMILLAN			

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SAMPLE BALLOT



OFFICIAL BALLOT

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY ELECTION
COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA

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FOR GOVERNOR (Vote for One)					
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<input type="radio"/> CHRISTOPHER A. COUNTRYMAN					
<input type="radio"/> JAMES C. FIELDS, JR.					
<input type="radio"/> WALT MADDOX					
<input type="radio"/> DOUG "New Blue" SMITH					
<input type="radio"/> ANTHONY WHITE					
FOR UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE, 2ND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT (Vote for One)					
<input type="radio"/> TABITHA ISNER					
<input type="radio"/> AUDRI SCOTT WILLIAMS					
FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL (Vote for One)					
<input type="radio"/> CHRIS CHRISTIE					
<input type="radio"/> JOSEPH SIEGELMAN					
FOR SECRETARY OF STATE (Vote for One)					
<input type="radio"/> LULA ALBERT "SOM Pat"					
<input type="radio"/> HEATHER MILAM					
FOR STATE DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE (FEMALE), DISTRICT NO. 80 (Vote for One)					
<input type="radio"/> BEULAH M. COOK					
<input type="radio"/> VALERIE RICHARDSON STEVENS					
FOR STATE DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE (MALE), DISTRICT NO. 91 (Vote for One)					
<input type="radio"/> PETER W "Bob" BARBER					
<input type="radio"/> JEROLD WHITEHURST					
FOR STATE DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE (FEMALE), DISTRICT NO. 92 (Vote for One)					
<input type="radio"/> HARRIET JAY HUBBARD					
<input type="radio"/> HAZEL JANETTE LEWIS					

"By casting this ballot, I do pledge myself to abide by the result of this Primary Election and to aid and support all the Nominees named in the ensuing General Election."

END OF BALLOT

VOTE FOR EXPERIENCE



- ✓ LIFELONG RESIDENT OF COFFEE COUNTY AND GRADUATE OF ELBA HIGH SCHOOL
- ✓ ASSOCIATES DEGREE IN ACCOUNTING FROM MACARTHUR STATE TECHNICAL COLLEGE
- ✓ 20 YEARS OF SERVICE WITH THE COFFEE COUNTY CIRCUIT CLERK'S OFFICE
- ✓ 148 HOURS OF CONTINUING EDUCATION THROUGH THE ALABAMA ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF COURTS
- ✓ SUPERVISOR OF THE ENTERPRISE CIRCUIT CLERK'S OFFICE FOR THE PAST 8 YEARS
- ✓ OWNER OF SMALL CATTLE FARMING BUSINESS IN COFFEE COUNTY



VOTE DEANN CRONK FOR CIRCUIT CLERK

Paid for by DeAnn Cronk for Circuit Clerk, P.O. Box 312509, Enterprise, AL 36331

NOTICE:

On Tuesday, May 29, beginning at 1:30 p.m., the voting machines to be used in the June 5th Primary Election will be tested.

The voting machine check will be conducted at the Farm Center Coliseum Building at the Coffee County Complex, Hwy 84W, New Brockton. The test is open to the general public. This testing is pursuant to §17-25 Code of Alabama, 1975 as amended.

For further information contact: Steven E. Blair, Judge of Probate - Enterprise office - 347-2688 or Elba office - 897-2211.

Or check out the Election website at <www.coffeecountyvotes.com>